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**MEMORANDUM FOR** Deputy Secretary of Defense  
Director of Central Intelligence  
Assistant to the President for National  
Security Affairs  
Deputy Under Secretary of State (Political Affairs)  
Executive Secretary, 303 Committee

**SUBJECT:** Forecast of NRP Aircraft and Satellite Activities for  
February 1969

Attached is the forecast of National Reconnaissance Program  
overflight activities for the month of February 1969.

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Approval  
303 Committee Principal

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NRO review(s) completed.

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FORECAST OF NRP SATELLITE ACTIVITIES FOR FEBRUARY 1969

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<u>PROJECT</u>	<u>VEHICLE</u>	<u>TYPE</u>	<u>AREA</u>
<u>CORONA</u>			
1 Mission	THOR (SLV-2A)	PHOTO	Eurasian Communist Countries (Primary) World-wide Mapping and Charting (Secondary)
<u>CORONA RESERVE*</u>			
1 Mission	THOR (SLV-2A)	PHOTO	Eurasian Communist Countries (Primary) World-wide Mapping and Charting (Secondary)

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\*Back-up used only if required.

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**TOP SECRET**FORECAST OF NRP AIRCRAFT ACTIVITIES FOR FEBRUARY 1969

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<u>PROJECT</u>	<u>VEHICLE</u>	<u>TYPE</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>COUNTRY</u>	<u>REQUIREMENT APPROVED BY</u>	<u>DATE APPROVED</u>
<u>IDEALIST/TACKLE</u>						
4 Missions*	U-2	Photo	1-28 February	China	USIB	28 Jan 66
4 Missions*	U-2	ELINT	1-28 February	China	USIB	20 Sep 65
As required*	U-2	Photo	1-28 February	S. China	USIB	17 Mar 66
<u>GIANT SCALE</u>						
10-12 Missions	SR-71	Photo	1-28 February	NVN	(Special)	
<u>GLASS LAMP</u>						
3-6 Missions	U-2	Photo	1-28 February	Cuba	JCS	
<u>GIANT DRAGON</u>						
15-20 Missions	U-2	Photo	1-28 February	NVN/Laos Cambodia	JCS	
<u>BUMPY ACTION**</u>						
30-40 Missions	Drone	Photo	1-28 February	NVN	JCS	

\*A recurring bank against total requirements. Subject to specific mission approval under present 303 Committee restrictions. If overflights of China continue to be stood down, the following schedule is proposed: 4 Photo/ELINT missions to remain 20 miles off the China Mainland. This conforms to the present 303 Committee restrictions of approaching no closer than 20 miles to the China Mainland.

\*\*BUMPY ACTION missions over China are subject to specific mission approval under present 303 Committee restrictions.

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